

What's new in the Heritage City this April...

Ballistic Springfield Brewery, Bar and Kitchen and Imbibus to make hand sanitiser

Two local Ipswich alcohol producers are teaming up to make sanitiser to help with the fight against COVID-19. Imbibis Craft Distillery in Marburg started making sanitiser last week due to the unprecedented demand driven by the virus outbreak, but can't produce enough wash to distil into sanitiser. Local brewery Ballistic Springfield has agreed to produce the wash in order to keep the production flowing.

The sanitiser is produced in accordance with the WHO recipe and is a great example of how two small producers are collaborating and innovating in these tough times. Ballistic will make the wash in 1000L batches and it will be shipped to Marburg where it will be distilled.

Customers can pre-order the sanitiser on the Imbibis website: <https://www.imbibis.com.au/store>

Contact Wade Curtis on 0400 170 347.

Ipswich's best restaurants are now doing takeaway

Some of Ipswich's best rated restaurants are now offering takeaway and delivery. The Pumpyard Bar and Brewery is offering free delivery to a handful of Ipswich suburbs.

Spicers are offering a drive thru pick up service for dinners.

The hatted restaurant Homage is offering takeaway lunch + wood fired pizzas and delicious family dinners.

Bakehouse Steakhouse is offering cook and home meat packs as well as their full menu for takeaway and a new brand called Bakehouse Buns. They are offering burgers, steak, salads, sides, desserts and will soon have a breakfast menu. Bakehouse is now opening for lunch and dinner 7 days a week.

Ballistic Springfield are offering takeaway and free home beer delivery within a 5km radius of the Springfield brewery for orders \$70 and over.

Ungermann Brothers will personally deliver ice cream within 5km of the shop, but they also offer delivery with Uber Eats. They've also got special family packs 2x double scoops and 2x single scoops or any two desserts and 2 single scoops.

The Prince Alfred Hotel is doing takeaways as well as ready meals like homemade beef and pork lasagne, peri peri chicken and more! Takeaway and ready meals can be purchased from Harry Browns.

The Retro Diner has evolved to not only do takeaway meals, but will run meals out to your car. They're also selling fresh seafood and grocery staples including milk, pasta, cleaning supplies and toilet paper!

Heisenburg Haus have adapted to offer takeaway and traditional Neapolitan pizzas for dinner!

Brookwater Barista are offering pre-cooked meals for you to take and heat at home as well as takeaway.

For more see the full list here: <https://www.discoveripswich.com.au/ipswichs-best-takeaway/>

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Commercial Hotel Redbank

The Commercial Hotel in Redbank are offering free hearty soup and bread rolls to those who need it most - the elderly and vulnerable in the community. They will also organise delivery if needed.

Contact them 3818 2500.

Ungermann's new menu

Ungermann Brothers have come up with a delicious new dessert menu – which you can have delivered to your door!

The new menu includes ice cream sandwiches, chocolate brownies with exclusive Mary Stuart Bumbleberry ice cream and waffles with candied pork belly and smoked vanilla ice cream.

There's also baked cheesecake with lemon, honey and thyme ice cream; bananas with rum caramel, toasted coconut, and rum raisin ice cream; and strawberries and cream with Dutch shortbread.

You can also still order their ice cream products takeaway or delivered through Uber Eats or by them if you live within 5km of the Ipswich store. Single scoops are \$7, double \$10 and a 500ml take home pack with up to three flavours is \$18.

They also have gourmet milkshakes on the menu, Belgian chocolate, salted caramel, strawberry or lavender.

Contact Danny Ungermann on 0417 260 340.

Gift vouchers

Support a local business today so they can stay open tomorrow.

There's a range of businesses offering gift vouchers right now, from dining to retail to experiences.

Buying a gift voucher will help the businesses stay afloat in these uncertain times.

See the full list of who's offering vouchers here:

<https://www.discoveripswich.com.au/looking-to-help-support-local-businesses-heres-our-gift-voucher-guide/>

<https://www.discoveripswich.com.au/retail-gift-vouchers-for-unique-gifts/>

<https://www.discoveripswich.com.au/dining-gift-vouchers/>

Take a virtual tour of Ipswich

While we're all staying at home, there's no reason you can't take a look around at some stunning scenery thanks to Google. Check out the view at the top of Flinders Peak, or White Rock, or visit the Ipswich Nature Centre all from home!

There were some 57 Locations mapped in the 3 million step project by Josh 'The Bear' Kerr. He lists his top places to check out online with Google.

1. Hidden Vale- <https://www.google.com/maps/@-27.7129118,152.3962795,3a,47.4y,294.81h,80.8t/data=!3m6!1e1!3m4!1sGBBvnyrqKkDb4br6KteFlw!2e0!7i13312!8i6656>
2. Flinders Peak - https://www.google.com/maps/@-27.8127458,152.8082006,3a,75y,4.69h,95.52t/data=!3m6!1e1!3m4!1siymjl6t_8Yaxqm7a4UzsWg!2e0!7i13312!8i6656
3. White Rock - <https://www.google.com/maps/@-27.7003721,152.861925,3a,90y,173.02h,91.44t/data=!3m6!1e1!3m4!1s9GvFuy10qvaVuBiURHw5LQ!2e0!7i13312!8i6656>
4. River Systems - https://www.google.com/maps/@-27.5550962,152.7986365,3a,82.1y,247.78h,93.26t/data=!3m6!1e1!3m4!1swZM18LLDPMEH_FdRa2dymA!2e0!7i13312!8i6656
5. Ipswich Nature Centre - <https://www.google.com/maps/@-27.6189638,152.7672132,3a,75y,69.56h,93.93t/data=!3m6!1e1!3m4!1sCoVK0ky-QX3eL4fFDO1Kqw!2e0!7i13312!8i6656>
6. Nerima Gardens - <https://www.google.com/maps/@-27.6198347,152.7696528,3a,83.6y,227.62h,93.27t/data=!3m6!1e1!3m4!1sqsdgRKwH-zoO5VQS7HKLAg!2e0!7i13312!8i6656>
7. Woodlands of Marburg - <https://www.google.com/maps/@-27.5540529,152.6052885,3a,55.5y,294.48h,99.71t/data=!3m6!1e1!3m4!1sFPAvez-YhK6Z-R3lg4MwaA!2e0!7i13312!8i6656>
8. Orion Lagoon and Robelle Domain - https://www.google.com/maps/@-27.679421,152.9024963,3a,48y,183.36h,85.09t/data=!3m6!1e1!3m4!1stYXee_TboJr1XwqqBZVyuw!2e0!7i13312!8i6656

More detail in the story here: <https://www.discoveripswich.com.au/take-a-virtual-tour-of-ipswich/>

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Virtual yoga

Ipswich Massage and Herbal Spa is now offering virtual yoga sessions. Yoga instructor Mikeala is offering all classes via zoom. And there's a cool 28 day introductory offer available – just \$49.01 for unlimited classes for 28 days.

Contact Sonja Glinster on 0412 838 811.

Virtual shopping

Trevallan Lifestyle Centre is offering virtual shopping tours with Facetime. Book a time for them to take you through the garden centre and pick out a few items. You can place an order via messenger and pay via PayPal or card. They will bring your order to your car, just message when you arrive. Or you can pay a small fee and have items home delivered.

Contact Chelsea Allan 0414 400 955.

Plan your 2021 Wedding now...

There's some pretty amazing places you can get married only 30 minutes from Ipswich. Operators are open for forward bookings right now.

Check out this list of great Wedding destinations: <https://www.discoveripswich.com.au/find-wedding-bliss-in-the-switch/>

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